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Food & Agri (1950) Department.

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G.O. NO.	108
Dated	11-4-1950

[Despatch Abstract.]

Agri - G.M.F. Compost - Stocks with the Bellary Municipality - Distribution - Temporary concessional rate - ordered

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Memo. No. 53026 N/49-5 of 13.8.49.
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R. see the Boards reply and the note of the Food & Agri. Depts. Survey ~~may be pended~~ pending receipt of a detailed report from the Board on receipt of a reply from the Collector of Billary, and Special reports are called for more. The file may be returned to the Fd & Agri Depts.

Fin may agree with F & A Dept that portion A in the Board's reference may be approved. A final report showing the financial effect of the distribution of compost through Civil Supplies lorries may also be called for.

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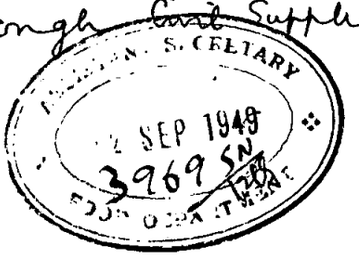

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To AS.

Fin notes above. A draft memo of the C.F.P is submitted for approval.

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Memo no 38636 N/49 - 2 dy 15/9

Sub:- Agri - G.M.F - Compost - stocks with the Bellary municipality - Distribution

Ref:- From the Bd of Rev (F.P) no FP III - 2096/53 dy 6/9/49

In para 3 of its reference cited the Bd of Rev has instructed the Collector of Bellary to arrange to make the best use of the two civil supplies godowns and to see that the scheduled transport charges are duly recovered from the ryots by fixing the sale price of Compost suitably. If, however, with the application of these rates mentioned above the Collector finds that the Cost of Compost at the village sites becomes too prohibitive to be purchased by the ryots and on that account the Compost

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stocks will be held up unnecessarily, the Collector was also instructed by the Board to fix, in anticipation of approval by the Govt, a fair acceptable rate keeping in view of the necessity to arrange for the quick disposal of the accumulated stocks of Comfoort and also to keep down the ultimate loss in transport charges to the Govt to the minimum. The action of the Bd of Rev in having issued these instructions is approved. 2/ The Bd of Rev is requested to submit a final report to the Govt showing the financial effect of distribution of Comfoort through the Civil Supplies Lorries.

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To the C.L.D.
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Office of the Board of Revenue (Food Production), Chepauk, Madras.

C. S. Vijayaraghavan, Esq., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Food Production.

A.S. Mani, Esq., I.C.S.,
Secretary to the Commissioner of Food Production.

Ref.No.2094/49-6(F.P.III), dated 12th October, 1949.

Sub: Agriculture - Compost - Sale of compost by the Bellary Municipality - Progress made - Report - Called for.

Read the following:-

1. Board's ref.No.2094/49-5.(F.P.III), dated 23-9-1949.
2. From the Collector of Anantapur, letter No.Rc.14919/49-L.2, dated 27-9-1949.

The Collector of Bellary is requested to report at once the progress so far made in the disposal of the stocks of compost with the Bellary Municipality.

2. It is presumed that the one lorry already transferred to his district from Anantapur is being put to the maximum possible use and can suffice for the present needs of the Municipality. If however he considers that more lorries are essential for the purpose, he may advise the Municipality to utilise its own rubbish lorry and also the available lorry with the Agriculture Department for running a few trips till the disposal of the bulk of the stocks of compost. The

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Secretary.

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Copy to the Secretary to Government, Food and Agriculture
Department, Fort St. ..., Madras, with reference to
...r Memo No.33006-1/41-5, Food ..., dated 17-8-41.

Forwarded (...) ...

Superintendent.

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Submitted for perusal. The Bd may be

reminded on 1-11-41 with reference to Bro's Memo

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From
Sri N.V. Sugavanam,
Collector, Bellary.

To
The Secretary, Board of
Revenue, Chepauk, Madras.

No.AS. 10918/49 dated 26-10-1949.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
30 OCT 1949
FOOD AND AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

Sir,

Sub: Agriculture - compost - sale of compost by the Bellary Municipality - Progress made - Report submitted.

Ref: Boa d's Ref.No.2094/49.6 (F.P.III) d/ 12.10.49.

The ryots with whom the District Agricultural Officer Bellary had arranged to sell the compost want that it should be sold to them at 1½ tons per rupee. But the Municipality is not prepared to sell the compost at the above rate. It wants that it should be sold at 1 ton per rupee. Hence no compost has so far been sold. The District Agricultural Officer Bellary is again contacting the ryots of these and other villages to findout on what terms they are prepared to settle the matter. As soon as the matter is settled the compost will be sold. If it is not settled, the Civil Supplies lorry will be sent back to Anantapur District and a report submitted to the Board in the matter in a week.

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For Collector.

Copy to the Secretary to Commr. of Food Production, Madras.

To A.S

A copy of the letter from the Collector, Bellary et p7 above addressed to the Bd of Rev, is submitted for perusal. The price demanded by the Municipality viz Re 1/- per ton (about 50 cft) is lower than the price fixed by P.C.D. Committee viz Re 0-10-10 per 25 c.ft or Rs. 1-5-8 per ton. The ryots are not prepared to purchase even at the lower rate of 1/- per ton. The Bds report may be awaited till 12-11-49.

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OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE(FOOD PRODUCTION)CHEPAUK MADRAS.
C.K.Vijayaraghavan Esq.,I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Food & Production.

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Ref.No.2094-F.P.111-49-7 dated4--11--1949.

Sub: Agriculture - Compost - Sale of by Bellary Municipality - Progress - Further reference from Collector.

Read: 1. From the Collector of Bellary No. A8-10913/49 dated 26-10-1949 and D.Dis. dated 28-10-1949.

Copies of the letters cited from the Collector of Bellary are forwarded to the Inspector of Local Boards, Madras.

2. In their Memo. No.530526N-49-5, Food and Agriculture Department, dated 13-8-1949, the Government instructed the Commissioner of Food Production to make arrangements for the disposal of the stocks of compost with the Bellary Municipality. The Board accordingly ordered the transfer of one Civil Supplies Transport Lorry from Anantapur district and requested the Collector to make necessary arrangements for the distribution of the compost to the ryots in time for the sowings. The Collector's reports show that it has not been possible to dispose of the compost in spite of the transport facilities provided, owing to the unwillingness of the ryots to pay the price demanded by the ~~military~~ municipality.

3. The Board observes that prima facie the stand taken by the Bellary Municipality to stick to their rate of Re.1-0-0 per ton cannot be regarded as unreasonable with reference to the rate of Rs.0-10-0 per 25 c.ft. of compost fixed on the recommendation of the Provincial Compost Development Committee, The Collector's surmise that the Municipality wishes to sell the compost to some private individuals is therefore probably incorrect. The Municipality cannot be advised to sell the compost at 1½ tons per Rupee unless the Government are prepared to tell it simultaneously that the resultant loss, if any, will be borne by them in the shape of a subsidy. But before suggesting a subsidy, in order to hasten the disposal of compost in Bellary, it is essential to verify that the rate offered by the ryots in and around Bellary town is the highest that can be expected. Apparently it is not so, because the Collector of Bellary has reported that Adoni Municipality is doing very much better than Bellary and it cannot be th Adoni has sold its compost at a sacrifice price.

4. The Inspector of Local Boards Madras is therefore requested to report at once to the Board(Food Production) the rate at which Adoni Municipality has sold its compost and if that rate is favourable and is at least Re.0-10-10 per 25 c.ft. and, if the local demand for compost in and around Adoni is still appreciable, whether the compost cannot be taken there from Bellary and sold without any loss to the Bellary Municipality.

5. The attention, of the Collector of Bellary is also invited to the position explained above and he is requested to report very urgently to the Board on the suggestion contained at the end of paragraph 4 above.

N.S.Mani,
Secretary.

To the Inspector of Local Boards, with enclosures.
To the Collector of Bellary.
Copy to the Secretary to Government, Food and Agriculture Department, Madras, with enclosure for information
Spare copy 1.

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A copy of the Bds reference ~~letter~~ to the G.d.B and the Collector of Bellary at p 9 above the Board's final rep is submitted for perusal. ~~For the reports~~
With reference to 'B' on p.4 above ~~from the Bd~~ may be awaited AR 25.11.49

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Copy of No.A8-10913/49 dated 26-10-1949 from the Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras.

Sub: Agriculture - Compost - sale of compost by the Bellary Municipality - Progress made - Report - submitted.
Ref: Board's Ref.No.2094/49-6(F.P.III) dated 12-10-1949.

The ryots, with whom the District Agricultural Officer Bellary had arranged to sell the compost, want that it should be sold to them at 1½ tons per rupee. But the Municipality is not prepared to sell the compost at the above rate. It wants that it should be sold at 1 ton per rupee. Hence no compost has so far been sold. The District Agricultural Officer, Bellary is again contacting the ryots of these and other villages to find out on what terms they are prepared to settle the matter. As soon as the matter is settled the compost will be sold. If it is not settled, the Civil Supplies lorry will be sent back to Anantapur District and a report submitted to the Board in the matter in a week.

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Copy of letter R.Dis.10913/49 dated 28-10-1949 from the Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary, Board of Revenue, Madras.

Sub: Agriculture - Compost - Sale of compost by the Bellary Municipality - Progress made - report submitted.
Ref: Board's Ref.No.2094/49-6 (F.P.III) dated 12-10-1949.

In continuation of this office No.A8-10913/49 dt 26-10-1949, I beg to report that the Civil Supplies Lorry No.M.S.P. 497 received from the Sub-Collector, Penukonda, Anantapur District, has, this day, been returned to the Sub Collector, Panukonda as the services of the lorry are not required.

2. It is not possible to sell the compost as the Municipality is not prepared to sell the compost at 1½ tons per rupee, at which rate alone the ryots are prepared to buy. All effort to induce the ryots to purchase the manure at the rates quoted by the Municipality proved futile. The Municipal council was equally adamant in not agreeing to the compromise terms suggested by me. The executive officers of the municipality were agreeable but it is only the municipal council that it discordant; probably they wish to dispose of it to some private individuals. In the disposal of compost, the municipal council at Adoni is a sharp contrast to that of Bellary.

(True copy).

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Superintendent 5/11/49

Board of Revenue (Food Production).
Abstract.

Agriculture - Compost - Distribution - Bellary Municipality - Action taken.

Ref:No.F.P.III.2094/49-9, Dated 7th December, 1949.

Sri C.K. Vijayaraghavan, I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Food Production.

Sri N.S. Mani, I.C.S.,
Secretary to the Commissioner of Food Production.

Read: (1) Board's Ref:No.F.P.III.2094/49-7, dated 4-11-1949, addressed to the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards, Madras and the Collector of Bellary and copied to the Government.
(2) From the Government, Ex.Reminder, dated 28-11-1949.

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2. With reference to the Government reminder cited, the Board submits that it is pursuing action for the disposal of the stocks of compost with the Bellary Municipality and is awaiting the reports of the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards and the Collector of Bellary in reply to its reference first cited. A further report will be submitted to the Government as soon as the stocks are disposed of or on receipt of the progress reports from the above officers.

for Secretary.

To The Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards, Madras. (Para 1 only).
To The Collector of Bellary. (Para 1 only).
To The Secretary to Government, Food and Agriculture Department, Fort St. George, Madras. (Para 2 only).

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The RDs report at p 13 above is submitted for perusal. The earlier report referred to at 'A' therein may be awaited till 10/1/19.

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Board of Revenue (Food Production)
Subject.

Agriculture - Compost - Stocks with Bellary Municipality - Disposal - Report - Submitted.

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Board's Reference No.F.P.III.2094/49-11 dated 13-1-50.

THIRD ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT. 20 JAN 1950 FOOD AND AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

From

Sri V.S.Hejmadi, I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Food Production.

To

Sri N.S.Mani, I.C.S.,
Secretary to the Commissioner of Food Production.

Read:- 1) Government Memo.No.53026.N/49-5(Food) dated 13-8-49.
2) Government Memo.No.38636.N/49-2(F&A) dated 15-9-49.
3) Board's Reference 2094.FP.III.49-7 dated 4-11-49 addressed to the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards, Madras and Collector of Bellary and copied to the Government, Food and Agriculture, Department.
4) From the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards Madras No.Roc.65110/49-E7 dated 12-12-49.
5) From the Collector of Bellary, Roc.No. 14746/49.A8. dated 28-12-49.

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With further reference to the position explained in its reference third cited, the Board encloses copies of the letters of the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards and the Collector of Bellary fourth and fifth cited above and offers the following remarks.

2. The Bellary Municipality has been demanding a rate of Re.1/- per ton of compost. This rate is low compared with the rate of Rs.0-10-10 per 25 C.ft or Rs.1-5-8 per ton of 50 C. ft., recently fixed by the Government on the recommendation of the Provincial Compost Development Committee. But, there is demand for the compost in and around Bellary only at Rs.0-10-8 per ton or at 1½ tons of compost per rupee. The Board therefore considered the alternative of arranging a sale of the stocks of compost of the Bellary Municipality in and around Adoni where it was reported to be in good demand. The Collector of Bellary has since reported that there is no demand for compost in the Adoni area. Assuming that, as reported by the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards, Madras , the stocks of compost can be sold at Adoni at Re.1/- per ton any transfer from Bellary to Adoni will involve the Government in a very heavy loss having regard to the long distance (62 miles by rail) from Bellary to Adoni and the incidental charges to be incurred at the despatching end. In the circumstances , it will be more economical to arrange for a disposal of the compost at Bellary itself at the rate of 1½ tons of compost per rupee (for which rate above a demand is reported to be available) or at some other higher rate if found acceptable to the ryots in and around Bellary and to subsidise the loss to the Municipality estimated at Re.0-5-4 per ton with reference to the rate of Re.1.0.0 per ton demanded by them. Alternatively , the Bellary Municipality will have to be left to find a disposal for their stocks on their own responsibility with reference to the position explained by the Collector in his letter D.Dis.10913/49 dated 28-10-49 (copy already communicated to Government with the Board's reference third read above.)

3. In this connection, the Board also submits that the detention charges of the Civil Supplies Transport Lorry, which was requisitioned for the purpose but could not be utilised, will also have to be borne by the Government.

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4. The Board therefore requests early orders on the proposals contained in paragraph 2 above.

N. Subramanian
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For Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Food and Agriculture Department, Madras (with enclosures.)

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Copy of Roc.No.66110/49.E7 dated 12-12-49 from the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards, Madras addressed to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Food Production, Board of Revenue, Madras.

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Sub:- Agriculture - Compost - Sale of - Bellary Municipality - Progress - Information furnished.

Ref:- Board's No.9004-PH.III/49-7 dated 4-11-49.

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In reference to paragraph 4 of the Board's reference quoted above, I enclose herewith a copy of the letter L.Dis.9038/49 dated 15-11-49 of the Municipal Commissioner, Adoni together with copy of its enclosure.

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Copy of letter L.Dis.No.9038-A4-49 dated 25-11-49 from the Municipal Commissioner, Adoni Municipality, to this office.

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Sub:- Agriculture - Compost - Sale of - Bellary Municipality - Prices fixed for compost sold - Information submitted.

Ref:- Your Roc.No.66110/49 dated 17-11-49.

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I have the honour to forwarded herewith enclosing a copy of Municipal Health Officer's memo dated 2-11-49 received on the subject.

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Copy of report of the Municipal Health Officer, Adoni.

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The Compost manure prepared in this municipality has never been sold direct to ryots or through any agency but used to be distributed to public gratis at the end of each year. There is demand for the manure in the ground Adoni and the compost manure prepared in Bellary Municipality may be arranged to be sold to ryots in and around Adoni on rail/- per ton f.o.r. Adoni.

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Copy of the letter Roc.No.147-46/49.A.3. dated 28-12-49 from the Collector of Bellary addressed to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, (Agriculture), Madras.

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Sub:- Agriculture - Compost - Sale of - by Bellary Municipality - Information report - Submitted.

Ref:- Board's Proceedings No.9004/49.PH.III.7 dated 4-11-49.

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It is stated in the letter under reference that demand for compost in and around Municipality, is poor and complying with the Bellary Municipality could not be made.

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Superintendent.

FOOD AND AGRI.(N) DEPT.

AGRICULTURE - G.M.F. - Compost - Stocks with the Bellar Municipality - Distribution - Temporary Concessional rate - Ordered

Read the following:-

From the Board of Revenue (F.P.) Ref.No. F.P.III 2094/49-11 dated 13.1.50.

G.O.MS. 708 DATED 11.4.50

In order to distribute the accummulated stock of compost with the Bellary Municipality (about 915 tons), the Bd. of Rev.(F.P.) has proposed in its Reference cited, the disposal of the stocks at the rate of 1½ tons of compost per rupee (or at some higher rate if found ~~acceptable to the ryots~~ possible) in and around Bellary, and to subsidise the loss to the Municipality at a maximum rate of Re.0-5-4 per ton. The Govt. accept the Bd.'s proposals. The Bd. of Rev.(F.P.) is requested to take this coneession into account while preparing the Comprehensive Town Compost Scheme ~~for 1949-50~~ and in claiming a grant from the Govt. of India.

2. This concession will hold good only for the accumulated stock of about 915 tons of compost only, whi should be disposed of at the concession price agreed to above, as quickly as possible.

To The Bd. of Rev.(F.P.)

Copy to the I.L.B.w.r.t. Roc.65110/48 E7 dated 12.12.49.

Copy to the Concerned file in Secn.

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2. The concessional price will apply only to the accumulated stock of about 915 tons which should be disposed of as quickly as possible before the ensuing season.

Abstract

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[illegible] 11th April 1950.

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[illegible] Revenue (Pool Production) Ref. No. [illegible]4/49-11, dated 13-1-50.

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[illegible] Municipality only to [illegible] about 915 tons which should be disposed of quickly [illegible] before the manuring [illegible].

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[illegible] Kurukshetra Canal,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

[illegible] Revenue (Pool Production)
[illegible] Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards [illegible] reference to [illegible] 5110/48 C7, dated [illegible]-12-49.

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OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE(FOOD PRODUCTION),CHEPAUK,MADRAS.

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Sri V.S.Hajmadi,I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Food Production.

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Board's Ref.F.P.III 2094/49-13 dated 18-4-50.

AGRICULTURE - Grow More Food - Compost - Stocks with the Bellary Municipality - Distribution - Temporary concessional rate - ordered.

G.O.Ms.No.703 Food and Agriculture dated 11-4-1950.

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A copy of the G.O. cited is forwarded to the Collector of Bellary. His attention is in this connection invited to his letters No.A.8.10913/49 dated 26-10-49 and D.Dis.10913/49 dated 28-10-49, and he is requested to contact the District Agriculture Officer, Bellary and the Commissioner, Bellary Municipality and arrange immediately for the distribution of accumulated stock of compost at the rate of 1½ tons of compost per rupee(or at a higher rate, if found possible) direct to the ryots.

2. The Collector of Bellary is requested to utilise the services of the municipal rubbish lorry available with the municipality and/or the lorry with the District Agriculture Officer, Bellary if need be, for the transport of compost from the compost depot to the field site and to recover the full hire charges without involving the Government in any additional expenditure on this account.

3. The attention of the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards, Madras is invited to the G.O. cited, copy sent to him direct by Government, and he is requested to instruct the Commissioner, Bellary Municipality to immediately contact the Collector of Bellary and to see to the disposal of the accumulated stock of compost, at the rate prescribed by the Government, as quickly as possible. The fact that the difference between the cost of Re.1/- per ton of compost already quoted by the municipality and the sale price of Rs.0-10-0 per ton now approved in the G.O. cited above will be subsidised in its favour by the Government may also be intimated to the Commissioner, Bellary Municipality.

4. A copy of the G.O. cited is also communicated to the Director of Agriculture, Madras and he is requested to issue necessary instructions to the District Agriculture Officer, Bellary in the matter. The services of the Departmental lorry may be ordered to be placed at the disposal of the Collector of the Municipality for the transport of Compost, if found necessary.

5. The Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards Madras and the Director of Agriculture, Madras are requested to keep the Board informed of the action taken by them in the matter. The Collector of Bellary is requested to submit a

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report (once every fortnight) on the progress made in the disposal of the stock of compost.

N.J. MANI,
Secretary.

To the Collector of Bellary with a copy of C.O.
" Inspector of Municipal Cls. and Local Boards, Madras.
" Director of Agriculture, Madras with a copy of C.O.
Copy to the Joint Director of Agriculture, Madras .do.
Copy to the Secretary to Government, Food and Agriculture Department, Madras
Copy to ~~xxx~~ 2678/F.P.III/49 with a copy of C.O.

Forwarded/By order/

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To A-3.

Submitted for perusal. May be lodge and added to the papers at (x).

FOOD & AGRI.(C) DEPT.

Sub: AGRICULTURE - G.M.F. - Compost - Stocks with Bellary Municipality - Distribution.

Ref: From the Bd. of Rev. F.P. Ref.No.F.P.III.2049-B dated 6.9.1949.
Memo. to the Bd. (F.P.) No.38636 N/49-2 dated 15.9.49
From the Collector of Bellary No.A.S.10918/49 dated 26.10.1949.
From the Bd.(F.P) reference No.2094 F.P.III/49-7 dated 4.11.1949.
From the Bd. (F.P) Reference No.F.P.III 2094/49-11 date 13.1.1950.

To A.S.

The correspondence in the c.f. is submitted for perusal In Memo.No.53026 N/48-5 dated 13.8.1949 the Commissioner of Food Production was instructed to make arrangements for the disposal of compost with the Bellary Municipality by sale direct to the ryots round about the municipality by placing at the disposal of the Municipality a civil Supplies Department lorry and to recover the hire charges without putting th Government to any additional expenditure. The Board of Rev. has now reported that even after placing the lorry at the disposal of Municipality it has not been possible to dispose off the compost due to the unwillingness of the ryots to pay the price demanded by the Municipality (Viz. Re.1/- per ton). The ryots are prepared to purchase the compost if given at the rate of 1½ tons per rupee. The alternative suggestion of the I.L.B. for transporting the compost to Adoni (62 miles from Bellary) for sale, was also not successful for want of demand for compost there and also on economic grounds. The Board has therefore suggested that it would be economical to arrange for the disposal of compost at Bellary itself at the rate of 1½ tons ~~of compost~~ per Rupee or at some other higher rates, if found acceptable to the ryots in and around Bellary, and to subsidise the loss to the Municipality estimated at Re.0-5-4 per ton, or that the Bellary Municipality will have to be left to find a disposal for the stocks on their own responsibility. The Collector of Bellary has reported that the executive Officers of the Municipality are agreeable

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to the price at which the ryots demand the compost, but it is only the Municipal Council that is discordant and that they wish to dispose of the compost to some private individual.

2. The price demanded by the municipality cannot be regarded as unreasonable, since it is lower than the flat rate of Re.0-10-10 for 25 c.ft. (½ ton) of compost fixed in G.O.No.1642 Food and Agriculture dated 17.12.1949 (or Rs.1-5-8 per ton). The Govennment will also give a subsidy to local bodies to meet any loss incurred on the production and distribution of compost as a result of the adoption of this uniform rate of Re.0-10-10 for 25 c.ft. It was expected that this rate would be within the reach of ordinary ryots. The Board has recommended that if the Municipality is directed to sell the compost at Re.0-10-8 per ton, (i.e. at 1½ tons per rupee) as demanded by the ryots, the municipality would be incurring a loss of Re.0-5-4 per ton, which the Board considers, should be subsidised by Government. If the subsidy is to be given, the total amount works out to about Rs. 305/—. As the general question of sharing the subsidy with the Govt. of India has not yet been settled, the subsidy in the present case will have to be borne by the Provincial Govt. for the present. The Civil Supplies Department lorry, also, which was detained at Bellary was also returned to Anantapur, as no use could be made of it. For orders whether in the circumstances the Bd.'s recommendation at 'A' above will be accepted in this Dept, as the amount of subsidy involved is a negligible amount. If so, the case may be sent to L.A. and Fin. for remarks.

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(1) available stocks of Compost with the new capacity : 915 Tons
@ Rs 0-5-4 per ton the amount works out to Rs 320
- Taken from quarterly statistics

Z - p 11 c/f

A on p 1 above may be approved. The Board of Rev (F. P) may be asked to take this concession into account, while preparing its Town Compost Scheme for 1949-50 and in claiming a grant from the G. of I.

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L. A. Dept (A)

Please see the note of Food and Agriculture Dept on pp 1 – 2 above. In this Dept file bearing C. No. 45199/49 dealing with the sale of compost by Bellary Mle cl, it has already been proposed as follows:—

"As recommended by the Inspector the attention of the (Bellary) Mle cl may be invited to this Govt's (No 1642 (F&A) dt 17/12/'49) and it may be advised to sell compost at the rate of Re. 0-10-10 per 25 c.ft. The Commr of the Mlty may be informed that he may report to the Inspector of Mle cls the Bids the loss, if any, incurred in the sale of compost"....

That file has been sent to Food and Agricult Dept through E&P.H Dept with L.A no No 45-199/49-2 dt 16/2/50.) However, this Dept need not have any objection to the proposal at 'A' on p 1 above (when they may perhaps be desirous to supervise the persons to suggest to the Mle cl the price of Re. 1/- per 1½ tons (i.e 75 c.ft) of Compost, as it is also proposed to subsidise the loss to the Mle cl from the sale of Compost at this rate.

With the above remarks the file may be passed on to Finance Dept through F&A Dept.

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As it is not practicable to sell the Stuff at Rs 0-10-10 per 25 c.ft, this dept accepts the proposal of Food & Agri at p 2 above.

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Please see notes from p1 above.

Fm. may agree to the Board's proposal ~~this~~ to arrange for the disposal of compost at Bellary itself at the rate of 1½ Rs per Re or at some other higher rates, if possible, and to subsidise the loss to the Municipality estimated at Rs 0-5-4 per ton [on the basis of 1½ tons per rupee.] The total subsidy involved is ~~stated to be~~ estimated at about Rs 305/- for 915 tons of compost.

2. Fm. may also agree to the proposal of Food at B/3 p2 above. It may be observed in this connection that the Comprehensive Compost Scheme for 1949-50 ~~to be~~ is still in the preparation ~~stage~~, though the current financial year is drawing to a close. It is quite essential that the scheme should be finalised soon and the Govt of Mysore's Sanction ~~to be~~ obtained ~~before the~~ at a very date before the expiry of March 1950, otherwise, as there is a risk of the claim for grant being rejected as belated. Food may be requested to take necessary action in respect of this Scheme & also in respect of other Schemes, if any, for which the Govt of Mysore's Sanction to grant for 1949-50 has yet to be obtained.

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THIRD ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT. 15650 MAR 1950 FOOD AND AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

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Summary.

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In Memo No.53026 N/49-5 dated 13-9-1949 the Commissioner of Food Production was instructed to make arrangements for the disposal of compost with the Bellary Municipality by sale direct to the ryots round about the Municipality by placing a Civil Supplies Dept. Lorry at the disposal of the Municipality and to recover the hire charges without putting the Government to any additional expenditure. The Bd. of Rev. has now reported that even after placing the lorry at the disposal of the Municipality it has not been possible to dispose off the compost due to the unwillingness of the ryots to pay the price demanded by the Municipality, (viz., Re.1/- per ton). The ryots are prepared to purchase the compost if given at the rate of 1½ tons per rupee. The alternative suggestion of the I.L.B. for transporting the compost to Adoni (62 miles from Bellary) for sale, was also not successful for want of demand for compost there, and also on economic grounds. The Board has therefore suggested that it would be economical to arrange for the disposal of compost at Bellary itself at the rate of 1½ tons per rupee or at some other higher rates, if found acceptable to the ryots in and around Bellary, and to subsidise the loss to the Municipality estimated at Re.0-5-4- per ton, or that the Bellary Municipality will have to be left to find a disposal for the stocks on their own responsibility. This Dept. have proposed to accept this suggestion. If the subsidy is to be given the total amount works out to about Rs.305/-.

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accumulated Stock - 915 tons @ 0-5-4 per ton the amount works out to Rs 305/-

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This Dept. has also proposed that the above concession may be taken into account while preparing the Comprehensive Town Compost Scheme ~~for 1949-50,~~ for claiming a grant towards the subsidy, from the Governmer of India.

L.A. and Finance have agreed to the above suggestions.

A draft order is submitted for approval. It may issue after approval in circulation.

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